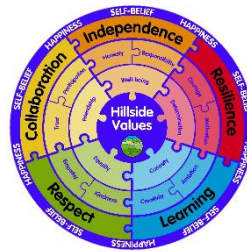




# Year 6



## Autumn

### English:

We will be exploring writing units based on our reading text- *The Highwayman*, Greek mythology and Holes. We will be drafting and editing narratives, formal letters and writing a balanced argument on the impact of tourism and preserving ancient history.

### PE:

Outdoor: hockey and tag rugby

Indoor: gymnastics and dance

### RE:

We will be exploring two key questions this term:

1. What is the best way for a Muslim to show commitment to God?
2. How significant is it that Mary was Jesus' mother?

### DT:

The pupils will research and taste a range of Greek food. Then design, make and evaluate Greek Moussaka.

### Home learning:

Daily Maths homework will be given each day due for the following day. Spellings will be set on EdShed and an assignment will be on TEAMS each week set on a Friday due in they following Thursday.

### History:

We will be learning about life in Ancient Greece. As Historians we will investigate the Athenians and the Spartans, the legacy of Greek theatre and how they were affected by their beliefs in the Greek Gods.

## How have the Ancient Greeks influenced our lives today?

### Geography:

We will be comparing maps of Reading to Athens and investigating how tourism impacts the environment- debating whether tourism at the Parthenon should be banned.

### Art:

We will be creating silhouettes and nonprinting based on the illustrations by Charles Keeping in *The Highwayman*. Then studying artist Grayson Perry in recreating Greek pots.

### Music:

The pupils will be learning how to play the boomwhackers as a group and using notations.

### Maths:

Following White Rose, we will be focusing on:

- Place value
- Addition & Subtraction
- Multiplication & Division
- Factors, Multiples & Prime Numbers
- Fractions

### Science:

We will start by exploring how light travels, shadows and the colours of light. Then we will be learning about circuits, buzzers and voltage in electricity. Our key scientist will be, Ibn Al-Haythorn.

### Computing:

The pupils will learn how to become more aware of being safe online and use Microsoft Excel to solve problems.

### French:

Masculine animal nouns  
Feminine nouns  
Position of colour adjectives

